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# Arrivals.

Jan. 22. Suwonada, Amer. steamer. 1802. Jayne, Shanghai, Jan. 19, General.-A HEARD & Co.

#### Passenger\*.

Per Suwonada, -Misses Hunter; Messra C. E. Hill, J. Allen, W. G. Hale, J. Living ston, Taylor and Spalm, and 86 Chinese.

### Shipping Report.

The American steamer Suwonada reports: Jan. 19th, at 6 a.m. left Shanghai. Arrived at Hougkong Jan, 22nd, at 6 a.m. Experienced steady monsoon and fine weather the entire passage.

Dagmar, Rus. ship, May 23rd left Liverpool; experienced light S. and S. E. winds up to June 4th, from thence to Equato light N. and N. E. winds and fine weather: June 30th crossed Equator, light S. and S. E. winds: July 24th passed Tristan Island. light N, and variable winds to meridian of the Cape, which was passed August 6th; from thence to St. Pauls light S. W. and N. W. winds; August 27 passed St. Pauls, fresh N. N. E. winds and fine weather Sept. 22nd put into Anjer, 23rd left, light S. W. winds and fine weather; Oct. 17th sighted Palawan Island, light N. winds and calms; 26th strong N. to N. E. winds and fine weather; Nov. 14th off Cape Bodgedor strong N. E. gales with heavy cross sea 21st arrived at Manila, 39th left, light E. N. E winds and fine weather; Dec. 5th passed through Pasilau Straits, light variable winds and calnis : Dec. 24th off Polew Islands, steady monsoon; Jan. 4th off Lewchews, light N. E winds and fine weather. 9th to 12th strong N. W. gales with heavy sea; 13th off North Saddles, light N. N. W winds and fine weather; 13th arrived at Woosung, 16th Shanghai

George Shotton, Br. bo., Aug. 23rd left Cardiff; experienced light variable winds to Equator, Sept. 26th crossed the Equator, thence to meridian of the Cape, which was passed Oct. 28th, light Southerly winds with rain; Nov. 10th passed St. Pauls, strong N. W. winds to N. Cape of Australia, passed Nov. 24th; Dec. 10th passed through Ombay passage, light variable winds; Dec. 18th through Gololo passage; Jan. 6th off Levchew Islands; latter part of the passage strong N. W. gales; Jan. 14th arrived at Shangbai. Reports Dec. 7th spoké ship Devonshire off S. E. end Tlores, from Cardiff to Shanghai, 124 days out; Dec. 9th, Archener, bq, in Ombay passage, from Hamburg to Hougkong, 124 days out.

# Inder Despatch.

For Shanghai. - Per Ert King, To-mor row, the 23rd instant, at 4 P.M. For Singapore, Ponang and Calcutta. -Per Reicer, on Thursday, the 23rd instant For Nagasaki.—Per Vulcan, on Satur-

For further Arrivals, New Advertisements, &c., &c., see 2nd page.

day, the 25th instant, at 5 P.M.

# New Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamer "ERL KING," will be despatched for the

above Port, at 4 P.M., To-For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, January 22, 1868. TO AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHERS. UST arrived, and for Sale. A few complete Sets of PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, with instructions,

Apply to FLOYD & Co., Photographers. Hongkong, January 16, 1868,

# New Advertisements.

HONGKONG AMATEUR THEA-TRICAL SOCIETY.

SEASON 1867-68.

THE Committee beg to intimate that the Third REPRESENTATION of the Season is fixed for the Evening of MONDAY,

GILES & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON & at the Lusitano Theatre, when will be per-

### To be followed by "THE RIFLE AND HOW TO USE IT."

"COOL AS A CUCUMBER.

CONCLUDING WITH THE BURLESQUE "Villiking & his Dinah."

Non-subscribers may obtain Tickets at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s. Price The Performance will commence at halfpast eight o'clock precisely.

H. HARRINGTON NELSON, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. KOHLDR'S

NATED PAINTINGS INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT PARTY RUM Australia, and now playing with extraordinary success in Manila, will shortly visit Hongkong.

GRAND EXHIBITION OF ILLUMI-

JOHN BRYAN

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB. HE Annual General MEETING of the above Club, will be held at the Hongkong Club House, on THURSDAY next, the 23rd instant, at 5.30 P.M. precisely, for Street, (for account of the concerned) on the purpose of electing a new COMMITTEE for the ensuing year, and receiving the Treasurer's Accounts for the year 1867. Members are particularly requested

A. MoLEOD. Hon. Sec. & Treasure V. R. C. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

OTIOE is hereby given that the REGIS-TERS of SHARES of the Corpora tion will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING the 23rd January, 1868, at Noon, CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OTICE is hereby given that the Ordi nary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the Hear Office of the Bank, Wardley House, Queen's Road, Hongkong, on FRI-DAY, the 14th day of Feb. proximo, at three clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

OTICE is hereby given that the Second Ordinary General MEETING of the Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, will be held at the Office of the Company, in the Queen's Road, on SATURDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 P.M. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers

Hongkony Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, January 18, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex "ALBERT VICTOR." TOMAN CEMENT Portland CEMENT.

Imperial TOBACCO. Smoking MIXTURE.

Hongkong, January 21, 1868. 21fe

FOR SALE. TOWNTONS' PUMPS as under

One 7 inch, 3 lift patent PUMP with Cast Iron flywheel and handles, and with 6 hole 7 inch suction plate, with goose neck pipes and fittings complete. One 51 inch Do, do, do, Two 6 inch Gun Metal Fire EN-GINES, with Hoses complete.

Hongkong, January 21, 1868. PER MAIL STEAMER. Suitable for Christmas Presents. SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of on Meerschaum PIPES, with and without Cherrywood Stems. Cigar HOLDERS.

BOWRA & Co.

ALBUMS. Real Havana CIGARS. BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE, Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

# New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.

DE SOUZA & Co.'s RACE BOOKS. PRICE, \$1 EACH. Hongkoug, January 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 18, 1868.

FOR SALE. DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, som- Manager. MULLER & OLAUSSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. FOR SALE. 17 ELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munts and Vivians.

JOHN BURD & Co Hongkong, April 5, 1866, ARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMIL' BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, Hollywood Road, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE.

Hongkong, May I, 1867.

### C. L. VOLKMANN. Private Boarding Establishment.

29. HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

Auct ons.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Aucat their Godown in Aberdeen

THURSDAY. the 23rd instant, at 11 o'clock. About 360 RIFLES (long and shor Enfields) damaged by the late fire. TERMS OF SALE, -Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

MORGAN LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, January 20, 1868, IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONGKONG In To Soon ANN v. LOH-WAH THIAM, TAN YOR KOON v. Ditto. DOWRA & Co. will sell by Public D Auction, by order of M. S. Tonno ону, Esq., Sheriff of Hongkong, (under

#### a writ of fi-fa), on THURSDAY,

ON BOARD.

A JUNK, (of about 5,000 Peculs Ca pacity or thereabouts), her Tackle, Apparel, and Furniture, as she now lies of the Harbor Master's office.

Her Armament, consisting of-8 GUNS, 12 Pounders.

10 MUSKETS, and Matchlocks, quantity of Shot, a few barrels of Powder, (stored at the Powder Hulk), etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican dollars weighed at 7.1.

The Vessel, Arms, &c., with all faults and errors of description whatsoever, at Purchasers' risk upon fall of the hammer. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

# FRIDAY.

the 24th January, 1868, at 2 o'clock P.M., at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, E. LUMLEY'S consignment of BOOKS, including as usual many very scarce and ourious Works :--

A fine assemblage of Prints, Chromolithographs, Ornaments, Illuminations, etc., etc. Works on Art, Science, History, Law, Travels, etc. Medical and Surgical Works. Classic Literature. Works for Ladies and Children. English French and Latin Dictionaries, Novels, Reviews, Illustrated News, Journals, French, Italian and German Works, and a variety of other BOOKS of useful knowledge, etc., etc., etc.

Catalogues are now being distributed, and can also be had on application to TERMS. Cash on delivery in Mexican

Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, January 21, 1868. PUBLIC AUCTION.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will hold a Horse and Carriage Auction, by the kind permission of the Commandant of the Garrison, on the Parade Ground,

# TUESDAY,

the 28th January, at 4.30 o'clock P.M. When will be offered for sale some excellent and elegant English-built CARRIAGES, and HORSES. Full particulars of the sale will be advertised a day or two later. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

### Banks,

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London Joint Stock Bank. Messrs Clarke, Sons & Rawlings, Coleman Street.

Messrs Coleman, Turquand, Young & Co. - Public Accountants. J. SMITH, Eaq., of Messra W. Nicol &

JAMES JOSEPH MAUKENZIE, Esq., late Mesers Dent & Co., China. Branches and Agencies. Bombay.

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at 6 .....5% per annum The Bank discounts Local Bills, and Notes payable in Hongkoug having at least two approved names unconnected in general partnership, and makes advances on approved Banking Securities.

The Bank issues drafts ou its London Office, and on the London Joint Stock Office, Hongkong. Bank at four months' sight, also on its Branches above; and Agents in Scotland Ireland, Melbourne, Sydney, and towns in Australia, New Zealand, &co., and grants Circular Notes for the use of travellers negotiable in all towns of importance throughout the world.

remitted for collection. Further information as to the rules of business may be obtained at the office,

on application by letter to the manager, Office hours :- 10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1 WILLIAM JACKSON, Manager. 2. Queen's Road, Fabruary 27, 1867, HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS, COURT OF DIRECTORS.

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Drafts, granted on London, and the

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. AGRA AND MASTERMAN'S BANK LIMITED.

N and after this date all Persons having CLAIMS against the BANK are requested to transmit the same to A. MoCAL-For Agra and Masternan's Bank Lt-

EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney. Hongkoug, November 8, 1867.

NOTICE. Style of SHERIFF & Co. in Bombay, instead and St. Nazaire, France. of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOODHOY as hereto. For further information, apply at the

SHERIFF & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1867,

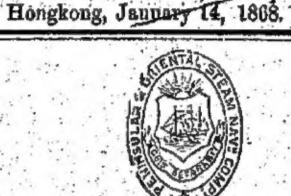
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NDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG ACENCY. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MARSEILLES,

BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS. AND CALOUTTA.

leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 23rd Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board : they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For further particulars apply at the Com-



STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton:

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Australia. HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship " BENARES," Captain McCullock, with Her Majesty's Mails, Pussengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on SATURDAY, 1st February, at 2 P.M CARGO, will be received on board until Fr. w on the 31st Instant: SPECIE until Noon on the 1st February, and PARCELS until 5 P.M. on the 31st Jameary. For particulars regarding Freight and

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Houte is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Com-Bills payable in Europe or in any of the with Purcels; and the Company do not hold above mentioned places are purchased or themselves responsible for any detention of prejudice which may happen from incorrect

> the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W: MACAULAY, Superintendent.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK OTEAMERS of this line will leave Hong kong for Yokohama and San Francisco as follows :-Great Republic, } on or about Jan. 14. Capt. DOANE. China, Captain Feb 24. SMITH, A.... Colorado, Capt. Mar. 16.

Capt. DOANE, 31.11 ", Apr. 16. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 15th Feb. 25th, Mar. 17th, April 17th, connect-

Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall. Return tickets issued at a reduction of

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Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," " West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transat-MAN, Risq., of the AGRA BANK LIMITED, lantie Oo, New York and Bayre Steam-

Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr Through Bills of Lading given for Ports Merably Dhurusseyshov, in our of Mexico and on the West Coast of Cen-Firm ceased on the 15th instant, and the tral and South America to as far as Valpasaid Firm will be continued tinder the raise, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton G. A., ... ... ... 1 case Watches.

> Agency of the Company, Praya West, GEO, F. BOWMAN, Agent. Bongkong, November 28, 1867.

IMPERIALES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

ON SATURDAY, the 25th Inst., at the Companies in San Francisco, parties 2 P.M., the Company's Steam-ship travelling Eastward via that Port, will find "DONNAI," Commandant Boundon, with it to their advantage not to engage passage

Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will to New York until they arrive in San Fransecented in transit through Marseilles or where for further information, apply to

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HE N. A. S. S. Co. will despatch regularly by both of the above Routes, their elegant and commodious Steam-ships "OREGONIAN," "NEVADA," "NE-BRASKA," "AMERICA," and "MOSES With the splendid Steam-ships "FULTON,"

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The Office of the Company is 103, Battery Street, N. W., Corner of Pine St., up-stairs,

J. W. RAYMOND, San Francisco, Dec. 4, 1867.

# Steam Tugs.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H, P.

NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. HIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866. NOTICE. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-

KONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED. STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN." THIS Powerful TUG is available at any I moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea. For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong, or to the Captain on Board.

J. B. ENDICOTT.

# Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

Shipping. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship

Captain Ashron, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

will be despatched on Saturday, the 25th inst., at 5 P.M. Should sufficient inducement offer, the Vessel will also load for Hiogo, Osaka via

FOR NAGASAKL

The Prussian steamer

For Freight or Passage, apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. FOR YOKOHAMA. The A 1 Prussian Schooner "ZWEY GEBRUDER,"
Capt. Sass, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, The A 1 Prussian Schooner

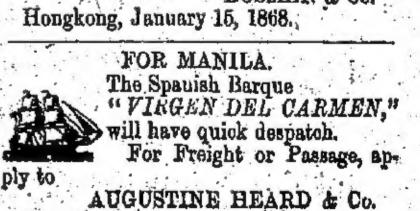
will have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE. The Fine British barque "CALABAR," will have quick despatch for the For Freight or Passage apply to NOWROJEE & Co. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 Amer. Clipper-ship

"JAMES GUTHRIE,"
830 Tons Register, Johnson,
Master, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to



MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES CO. THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consigness, who are requested to, the immediate delivery :-

Hougkong, December 16, 1867.

Ex Alphee, 7th September. H M & Co. 1. ..... 1 case Sundries. Ex Tigre, 5th December. ..... 1 basket Feathers. Ex Donnai, 7th January, 1868. R T 531, ... 1 case paper.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, January 20, 1867,

# Shipping.

FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The British Ship "JOSHUA BATES," Capt. Sydsener, will have immediate despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Hamburg Barque MATFIELD, Master, 375 Tons Register, will load at Whampoa for the above Port, and has room for a limited amount of Cargo, for which, apply

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK The A I Hamburg Barque Lorenzen, Master, 1588 Tons Register, will load at Whampoa for the above port, and has room for a

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

### Notices to Consignees.

limited amount of Cargo; for which, apply

"GRESHAM" FROM LONDON. NONSIGNEES of C M B, 1 case Mer-Chandise, are hereby informed that the same has been landed and stored in the godowns of the Undersigned at Consignees JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

VIRGEN DEL CARMEN," BROM

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel, will please send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

CONSIGNEES of

A. B. H., 275 Barrels. J. L. A., 18 packages Merchandize ez "SURPRISE," from New York, are hereby informed that the above mentioned Goods have been landed and stored in our "Godowns at the expense and risk of the

SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

### Notices of Firms.

A/E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

OTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr C. Jameson in our Firm ceased on the 30th September last. The Business will in future be carried or

by Mr Z. BARTON under the Name of Style of Jameson & Barton, as heretofore. JAMESON & BARTON. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

S my Engagement ceases in May next all outstanding Accounts for the pas Two Years must be sent in immediately for MARY HASTELOW RANDLE,

Diocesan School, PHongkong, January 2, 1868.

R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been **M** admitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868

NOTICE. I HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Peddar's Hill. Mr EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from

GEO. HOLMES. Ship and General Broker. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

MESSRS, H. P. M. WAGHTELS and H VI ALPHE URTMANS ceased to be Part ners in our Firm since the 31st December

GAYMANS & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1868.

A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkoug, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE: JROM and after this date Mr George F BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS. Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

Y Business, as Ship and Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto catried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S HOOK, SON & Co.

J. S. HOOK Hongkong, September 23, 1867. HAVE this day commenced Business as

S. L. HEINEMANN. Hougkong, January 2, 1868.

from the Colony, Mr. T. OUSHING LADD is authorised to sign our firm per pro-LADD & Co.

Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. renouson in our firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co.

THE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Underaigned A. D. MITCHELL,

J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68

#### Auctions.

DOWRA & Co. have received instructions from F. S. HUFFAM, Esq., Official Assignee, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, on

WEDNESDAY.

29th January, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., on the Premises, known as "Beauregard, The whole of the Elegant Household FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing Room, Dining Room and Bed Room

At or about 1 p.m., The HOUSE and GROUNDS: Further particulars will be made known in a future advertisement, and Catalogues of the furniture will be issued prior to

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. · All Lots with all faults and errors of description whatsoever at purchaser's risk upon fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, January 22, 1868. 29ja

#### New Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamer

Kinn, Master, will be despaiched for the above Port at daylight, on Saturday, the 25th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, January 22, 1868. NOTICE. HE Cargo per (s.) "AJAX" is being landed and stored in Measrs DENT Co.'s Godowns, in accordance with Bills of

Lading, and will be ready for delivery o the morning of the 25th instant, BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 22, 1868.

TO BE LET. THE PREMISES situated on Lot 11 or the Praya, at present in the occupa tion of Mesara Holliday, Wise & Co. comprising two large stone-floored Granit Godowns, commodious Offices, with Bed Rooms above and Compradore's Rooms of

A HOUSE on same Lot as above, front ing to Queen's Road, and commanding good view of the barbour from the north side. The House contains eight good Room with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front and back Kitchens, Servant's Room and Godowns on ground Floor, also good Stabling

TURNER & Co. Hongkong, January 22, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex THE TWEED, ALBERT VICTOR and Late Arrivals. DUBBER and Canvas Leading HOSE Tuck's Rubber PACKING, Engine

Rigging SCREWS, Police IRONS, Ar Engineers' HAMMERS, FORGES and

T. & D. Henry's 1st quality CANVAS offered, and PARCELLING. Best Merchant Navy CANVAS, Repair-Hemp PACKING, WICKING. Hemp and Cotton TWINE.

York HAMS, Cheddar CHEESE, Corn MEAL, HOMINY Also, a fine Invoice of Table and Pocket

Hongkong, January 22, 1868.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN ) EG to announce the arrival from Eng-D land of their New Stock of FANC! GOODS, consisting of— GENTS' Silk and Wool, Flanuel, and

Long Cloth SHLRTS. Cotton. Merino and Lambswool DRAWERS and UNDERSHIRTS. Silk, Cotton, Merino and Lambswool Cotton and Merino STOCE

GENTS' COLLARS, in all the newest DENT'S Town-made KID GLOVES

DENT'S Buck and Dosskin DRIVING LOVES CHRISTY'S Paris Silk and Drab FELT HATS, FANCY SCARFS, TIES, CAM-HANDKERCHIEFS, BRACES umbrellas, cholera belts DAWSON'S BOOTS and SHOES, PER INHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FUMERY, FANOY SOAPS, BRUSHES,

And every article requisite for the TOILETTE WALKING STICKS & CANES in great variety.

Hongkong, December 28, 1867. MULLER & CLAUSSEN EG to invite the attention of the Publi

New and well selected Stock of Fancy and other cloths.

hich they have just received from Eng and, and which are suitable either for SUITS, FROCK, MORNING AND SHOUTING COATS. OVERCOATS & YACHTING JACKETS

Being provided with an EXPERIENCED CUTTER n every branch of the Trade, in constant communication with some of the mos fashionable houses in London and Paris they are now well prepared to execute all orders, connected with this 3fe DEPARTMENT, WITH PUNCTUALITY AND DISPATCH. URING the absence of Mr J. H. LADD NAVAL AND MILITARY UNIFORMS. Ladies' riding habits

> After the newest and most graceful designs. A Stock of last Season's READY-MADE CLUTHES selling off at a reduction of 25 per cefit. of original prices. FUR STYLE, EUONOMY, AND

PERFECT FITTING, MULLER AND CLAUSSEN, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 28th December, 1867.

LIETETIC BAEL, the new DIET, so highly recommended by the Faculty to those suffering from derangement of the Digestive Organs. Can be procured from GEO. GLASSE, The Victoria Diepensary, kong.

Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

# New Advertisements.

# CHRISTMAS NOVELTIES

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. HRISTMAS and Wedding CAKES. Lemon, Orange, Vanilla, Ratafia &c.

Bonbon and Rimmel's ROSE WATER CRACKERS. Presentation Boxes of BONBONS. MINCEMEAT. CAVIARE. Choice new FIGS & Bloom MUSCATELS Nougat d'ABRICOTS, Assorted Desser

Chocolate BONBONS, Carlsbad WAFERS Grouse in GRAVY. Truffled CHICKENS Truffled ORTOLANS, Potted Severn SAL-

MON. Russia OX and Reindeer's TONGUES in Christmas TREE, and

Christmas TREE ORNAMENTS. STEREOSCOPES, GRAPHOSCOPES New Operatic Transparent VIEWS. Meridian CALENDARS, Novel DICE, and ROUGE ET NOIR. ANEROIDS, THERMOMETERS, Astro-

nomical TELESCOPE, Courier BAGS, Writing CASES. Bronze FIGURES, Meerschaum PIPES and Cigar CASES.

Hongkong, December 9, 1867. AT THE STAG HOTEL STORES. NO. 110, QUEEN'S ROAD. Just Landed. Ex THE TWEED. DICKLES, JAMS, SALT,

VINEGAR, CURRANTS HERBS, Raspberry VINEGAR, CATSUP, MUSTARD, Loaf SUGAR, BLACKING. Ginger BRANDY. Booth's OLD TOM. CHAMPAGNE in pint. Chedder Loaf CHEESE. Prime YORK HAMS. EDMUND HOLMES

Hongkong, January 9, 1868,

Just landed ex Mail Steamer, the following ARTICLES suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. &c. TEAM Engine Perfume DISPENSER Perfumed FLOWERS.

Magio BOQUET. Fancy Toilet BOTTLES and PERFUM Peculiar and New PERFUMES PACHETS. YLANG YLANG. Hungarian Ash Scent CASE Coilet CASES. Toilet BOTTLES in Leather, Tortois

Rose WATER CRACKERS. and various other NOVELTIES of the THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY

Shell and Pearl Cases,

Perfume FOUNTAINS.

# SAYLE & C Victoria Exchange.

Hongkoug, December 16, 1867.

OLICIT inspection of their NE STOCK, specially prepared for the coming Season, forming the largest and best assortment of GOODS they have yet

(Comprising), Black Glaces, Plain and Fancy Silks at old prices, Linsey, Rep. Wool Plaids and all the newest designs for Ladies Dresses, a large assortment of Evening and Ball Dresses, Embroidered, Printed and made up Skirts. Crinolines, Muslin Embroideries and Laces of all descriptions, The newest styles in Dress Trimmings. Ladies' Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.

Flowers Feathers, Wreaths, etc. MANTLES and JACKETS of the newest designs and materials The Milinery and Dress Making Departments are under the management

of two experienced West End assistants The Tailoring Department is now well supplied with everydescription of Cloth for Antumn Wear, including Blue, Black

and Scarlet Broad Cloths. Blue and Black DOESKINS Naval and Military CLOTHS. 3/4 and 6/4 TWEEL'S and Doeskins, Witneys, Beavers, & c.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hosiery of all descriptions. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves from well-known

Makers. TIES and SCARFS in great Felt Tapestry and Brussels

Carpets, Matting and Floor

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Hosiery of all makes. Latest Styles. Household Linens of every

description Black and Drab Felt HATS. Black and Drab Paris and Beaver Dress Hats. Hongkong, September 24, 1867

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS. OHN PATERSON & Co. House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zine Workers, and Gas Fitters, 16, Queen's Road West, and Acheorig's Yard, Praya West, Hougkong, November 4, 1867.

FRENCH I HE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, in desirous of giving some French Lessons un moderate terms. Address X. X., care of Office of this Paper. Hougkong, September 25, 1867.

MOQUET, GAMES, TOYS, &c., &c., MISS GARRETT'S Millinery and Drupery Establishment, Queen's / vail. Hougkong, December 9, 1867. NOTICE.

MAR. J. THOMSON, Photographer, from IVI Singapore, will shortly VISIT Houg-Hongkoog, January 4, 1868.

# New Advertisements.

CASTOR OIL, in cases of twenty Gallons each, or in quantities to suit Purcha-

To be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

# PAPERS ON CHINA.

THE SIXTH SHEET of this Publication will be issued next week, and will contain, besides other interesting Articles, the whole of Mr Williamson's recent "Notes on Southern Manchuria

CONTENTS OF " PAPERS" ALREADY ISSUED. Sheet 1 Notes on Formosa, by R. Swinhoe, Esq. F.R.G.B., H. B. M. Consul at Formosa. The Mahomedans in China. A Leaf from Chinese History. A Chinese Execution.

How Mandarins came to be allowed to A Chinese Almanac. The Nienfei.

Sheet II. The "Peking Gazette." The Governors of the Eighteen Provinces of The Grand Canal.

Review. Philology. Coal in the North. A Reminiscence of the North-Five years Ancestral Worship. Sheet III.

Formosa, Coal and Railways at the North Chinese Tribunals Effect of the Study of Chinese upon Euro-Cnowledge of Chinese. Labnan Coal Cremation Services at Bangkok.

Effect on Officials of the Study of Chinese Formosa—Treaty with the Savages by the U. S. Consul at Amoy, The Salt Trade. The late Sir F. Bruce.

Railways in the North of China. Chinese Odds and Ends The Northern Ports. Justoms' Officials. The Right of Distraint. History of Foochow. Chinese Literary Examinations. Chinese Pawn-Brokers. A New Race.

Mandarin's Journey across China in the Twelfth Century; by Wm. Frederick

Calcutta to China. an interesting Journal—The "Rover Tragedy at Formosa Chinese Odds and Ends.

These "Papers" were commenced in September last, and the Articles above named are reprinted from the following journals which are duly credited in the body of eac sheet :- Journal of the Geographical Society China Mail; Supreme Court and Consult Gazette: Hankow Times: North China Daily News; Shanghae Recorder: North Herald; Foochow Advertiser; Missionar Recorder ; Customs' Reports on Trade Friend of India; Singapore Free Press; Siam

Monitor: and Fraser's Magazine. The "Papers" are published at the China Mail Office at intervals of about a month or six weeks. 16 pp. Royal 8vo. Price, 25 | beyond Hongkong, and of very little cents per sheet. When a sufficient number | real worth - beyond subscriptions of sliects has been issued to form a Volume of (say) 350 or 400 pages, a Title Page and Index will be printed for subscribers use without charge,

China Mail Office, Jan. 21, 1868.

Jan. 21, Feeloong, H. C. L. M. gun-boat, Jan. 22, Ajax, British steamer, 1,549 Kidd, Liverpool, Mauritius, Penang and Singapore, Oct. 17, Dec. 3, 22 and Jan. 13.

deneral -BIRLEY & Co. Jan. 22, China, Brit. steamer, 2,010, J. D. Steward, Bombay, Galle, Penang and Singapore, Dec. 30, Jan. 7, 13 and 16, the writer cannot be, in the best sense Opium and Treasure. -P. & O. Co.

DEPARTURES. Jan. 22, Our Queen, for Bangkok 22, Labuan, for Singapore. 22, J. Martinus, for Saigon 22. Guantunamo, for Macao. 22, Penang, for Manila. 22, J. Smidt, for Saigon,

Per Mail steamer China:-From Bombay to Hongkong. - Mr and Mrs Hayllar Mesers Pestonjee Framjee, Je- pervades the article we allude to hanjeerjee F. Buxy, Dossabhoy E. Merhomieena, Bomanice J. Bottlewalla and native servants, Rustonjee Sapoorjee and

From Southampton to Honkgong -Mr and From Gibraltar to Hongkong .- Mr Retor-

From Marseilles to Honghong .- Mr and From Mairas to Hongkong .- Mr F. S From Marseilles to Shanghai. - Messra R.

E. Price and King.

From Marseilles to Yokohamo, -Mossrs Jaquemot and Mottu From Singapore to Hongkong .- Mossrs W. R. Greenshields, Casson, Hake and Martin, and 31 Chinese

Per Ajax, - Mrs Francis and 100 Chinese

Vision, for Saigon. Emma, for Hoilo. Douglas, for Calentia. SHIPPING REPORT.

The British steamer Ajan, from Liverpool, Mauritids, Penang and Singapore, ruports: from Singapore had bad weather and strong N. E. monsoon all the passage till the last three days, their moderate till arrival in port. The steamer Agof had not arrived at Singapore when the Afaz left. Cargo per Mail steamer China :--

For Higkong, 3994 chests Malwa Opinm; 15 chests Bengal Opium; 2,237 pieces Sandalwood; 185 packages Ivory; 664 bales Cotton; 100 bales Twist; 49 bales Piece Goods; and 96 chests Persian Opium For Shanghai, -772 cheste Malwa Opitun, Treasure for Hongkong, -£429,

# QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 22nd January, 1868. OPIUM. -Patna, New, ... \$675 Benares, New, Malwa ... Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, ... On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 218 , Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 218 , Shanghao, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 72 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 11t per c. prc.

Australian Sovereigns. Gas Company Shares, 40 per Share. H. & W. poa dock, Old, 25 per cent pm. New, 15 per cent pin. H, & S. Bank Shares, Old, 8 per cent pm. Union Dock Shares, ... 20 per cent dis.

English Sovereigns, ... ... 4.65

Gold Bar, 98 touch,

### Temperature.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1868. Barometer, ... 30.300 Attached Thermometer, 68 Dry Bulb, ... 68.0 Maximum S. Rgr., ... Minimum S. Rgr., ... 57.0 Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... Previous | Rainon Grov., 24 hours, habove, ...

NOTES & QUERIES

CHINA & JAPAN Orders for bound Copies of the 1st V lume of this work will be received by the undersigned.—Price \$5.

E China Mail Office. Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

# THE CHINA MALL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 22, 1868.

THERE is one item of news by the present mail which His Excellency must have anticipated-namely, the formal disapproval by the British Government of His Excellency's avowed intention to faise revenue from gambling licenses. such would be the result we long ago predicted; and we are equally certain that the effort to escape paying anything towards the protection of this colony, by the Imperial Military and Naval forces will come to an equally ignominious end Looking at the number and character the names appended to the Memoria now in course of signature, we are bound to confess our surprise that so many men, otherwise sensible; should have allowed themselves to become victims to a parisl vestry sort of attempt to get up a bit c political capital, of not the slightest valu

WE trust that Bishop Alford will not measure the religious feeling, or the moral decency, of the foreign residents generally of Hongkong, by the standard fur nished by the leading article in our coutemporary this morning. Longer expe rience of life, and a wider knowledge of men will guard the writer from many repetitions of the sorry blunder into which he this morning fell. No gentleman could have committed it; but then of the term, a gentleman, and therefore in this case such an article was possible and it has appeared. We are not speaking pro or con the objects of the British and Foreign Bible association, which may be discussed upon its own merits or demerits, and we are somewhat opposed to the indiscriminate distribution which is at times made under its auspices. simply refer to the general tone which which a discussion as to the means of spreading Christianity is placed on exactly the same footing as amateur dramatic performances. Without the slightest distaste for theatrical amusements. cannot but express our opinion that the article is simply a disgrace to English journalism in China.

Our readers will be glad to learn that Mr E. Bowra, who accompanied the first Chinese mission to Europe in 1866, has been rewarded for his services by the Commissionership of Customs at Ningpo. Mr Leonard, the present commissioner, is, we hear, to become Deputy Commissioner at Shanghai, thus filling the place vacated by Mr Brown's transferonce to Canton. We hear likewise that Mr Jas McCleary Brown, of the British Legation in Peking, who resigned his post of assistant Chinese Secretary, and has ac- two drinks, but did not see any change cepted the position of the Interpreter and returned | one of the captains had liqueur Scoretary to Mr Burlingame's embassy, and another gin. This occurred only now is to have the salary, rank and status of full Commissioner of Customs Brown having thus entered the Customs' service, and Mr Wade having gone home, the Legation at Peking is almost deprived of efficient Chinese scholars, and We trust we may soon hear of the vacandies thus caused being satisfactorily

THE P. & O. atr. Cadiz will leave for Shanghal to-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, Add came in too late for insertion.

THE BIBLE SOCIETY. At a public meeting held in the Suprema Court House this afternoon, an auxiliary association of the British and Foreign Bible Society was formed. H. E. the Go. vernor (who presided) is appointed patron of the Society; the Lord Bishop of Victoria is president; the Hon. Chief Justice and Mr F. Parry are vice-presidents; and the lay members of the Committee are, Meass C. C. Smith and Blackhead and Colonel Gawlor. The meeting was well attended Owing, however, to the late hour when the meeting broke up, and the arrival of the English mail, we are compelled to hold over our report till to-morrow.

MR. DE SOLLA'S CONCERTS. The Concert last evening was for the benefit of Miss Ridgway; and in view of the favor with which the lady has always hitherto been received, we expected to have found a larger house. Miss Ridgway's performance of the violin solos set down for her in the programme was most artistic and finished, and she was compelled to respond to an encore. The Misses Dash wood were as usual most successful, and Miss Emily's side-drum accompaniment to the "Ladies' Rifle Corps" was loudly redemanded, and as loudly complied with The Burlesque Duets "A Love of a Prince" was rattled through with our tomary vivacity and wound up a very pleasurable entertainment.

THE following paragraph is too particularly gratifying to all Hongkong to permit of its being left in the comparative obscurity of general news. It is from the Express :-We have learnt upon good authority that the newly arrived and eminent barrister. Mr Barnard, is about to undertake a case against the Chinese Authorities, in which a very large sum of money is involved. W. are not at liberty to enter into further details at present. With this gentleman's accustomed liberality, he has placed the lower story of the new Masonic building recently leased by him, at the disposal o the Masonic Ball Committee. The fine rooms, together with his handsome furniture, will be a pleasing lounge for guests of the Brethren of the Mystic craft, of which Brother Barnard is a most distinguished

FROM Mr O. B. Bradford of the U.S.

Consular Service, we obtained the following

glowing account of the Meteoric Shower of 1867, as witnessed by him not far from the Great Wall of China. It was on the morning of the 15th November, while on his way back from the Nankow pass, and when about 50 miles N. N. W. of Peking, that Mr Bradford observed these Grand Phenomens of the heavens. The moon was shining trightly, and occasional clouds were visible in the South-west heavens, while the wind came in puffs from the mountain ranges to the North-west, when at about 5.15 a.m. his attention was first attracted by the wild houting of his guide, and he was not a little startled to find himself a witness to the Annual Meteoric Shower in that quarter of the world. The grand spectacle was displayed in an arc of not less than 120° in the North-eastern portion of the firmament, which at times seemed to be rent in twa n from about 25° of the Zenith by solid masses of luminous bodies, of various magnitudes and surprizing brilliancy, which darted in dazzling confusion across his vision, and again several hundred of these Meteors of different sizes would be observed at the same time, all emitting the most intense light, and the nebulæj of the largest lasting sometimes three minites. One of these monsters shone with a distinctive brightness above that of the moon as it issued from about 15° of the North Star, and passed vertically below the horizon, giving forth as it fell coruscations of various bright colours, and when disappearing its nebulæ resembled a waterspout in high latitudes. It was not until quite 6.30 a.m. that the approaching dawn began to din the glory of this flery exhibition, and the rising sun soon brought an end to the exciting display. News Letter.

UNLICENSED LIQUOR SELLING.

A. Rusteberg and H. Hohnholz, proprietors of the "Continental Hotel," Praya, were summoned before Mr May this morning at the instance of Nicholas Cremer, of the "Café Cromer," on a charge of having sold, on the 6th and 14th January, "spiritness liquor called liqueur," and "gin, porter, beer, brandy, and punch," without a license so to do, and in quantities less than two gallons. Mr Francis (for Mr Gaskell) appeared for the defendant, and the case was proceeded with as against Mr. Rusteberg only, although both were named in the

N.: Cremer, who first entered the witness box, stated that the defendant liad lately formed a captain's club (here witness propeoded so far to relate particulars regarding the conduct of said Club which he had picked up in a promisenous sort of way until he was stopped by the Magistrate, who reminded the witness that evidence consist ed simply of what a man had seen with his own eyes or knew of his own knowledge. Witness continued to say that, in December last, he went to defendant's house ind saw a number of people drinking; he also drank some himself. He had a licensed house himself, and paid for the license, and he therefore thought it to be his duty to report this circumstance. A boy came to his house as a servant, who had previously been in the employ of defendant, and by this boy he had been informed that 20 cents a lass were charged for liquor from daptains but that 25 cents was the price to outsiders. -In reply to Mr Francis, witness admitted that he was fined \$100 in 1866 for selling spirits without a license. E Awing, a small boy, was next called.

He was for three months a servant to de-

fendant, but was now in Cremer's employ. On 6th January he saw defendant selling saw a captain pay defendant 50 cents for and again, and was not a dally occurrence. On Dec. 26th, about 18 or 14 people came to the house, and had different kinds of drinks; but he did not see any money pass in that occasion. He sometimes got money in exchange for drink supplied : 25 cents was the price charged for a drink from one who could speak English, and 20 cents a drink was the rate for those who could not apeak English - Cross-examined by Mr. Francis: Am eleven years of age; received fourteen days' leave from defendant's ema ploy on 6th instant; did not go back, as defendant's wife is a bad woman, and used to abuse me. Am now in Cremer's employ,

and get \$4 a-month and clothin get 55 and no clothing from Defendant has my registration [Mr Francis here handed in w gistration ticket, and informed that, of course, witness was charge for absenting himself fro ployer's house, and Cremer was penalty for having employed without a registration ticket. amination continued : Had for \$2 a-month from Cremer but not do so much as now. Gut orders from defendant not to Did not remember Chinese moon liquor was sold, but remember date; but Mr Cremer did not it was the 6th January. Wong Ayam (who Cremer cal

willing witness) was next called tioned. Ho stated that he was from defendant's service on I He had served customers with spirits in defendant's house. money received, nor did he ev small boy actually serving any liquor. There was a book on which customers entered what drunk .- Cross-examined : The writing-desk. Got \$8 a month marker, but was sometimes call supply customers with liquor. the foreigners boarded in the ho now in Cremer's employ, at with clothes. Cremer asked defendant's business and how it on. Does not expect any "cum Cremer for giving evidence, from defendant not to supply strangers, but only to captain knew and persons who freque

Mr Francis, for the defence, that he presumed his Worship upon the case as having failed, of the two Chinese servants be tradictory. If, however, the wished for a defence, he would an adjournment, as the der somewhat peculiar one, viz., th fendant was simply manager started by German Captains, sin Hongkong Club or Portuguesa that the liquor was supplied on bers or persons introduced by m His Worship remarked that h

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had formed, everything being in the license was refused to Ma A fund had been raised, with the liquors had been provided. Mr Rusteberg was steward, Mr was butler, both being paid ser The Magistrate observed that in the summons, however, was and separate acts of illegal a believed that a system of sale

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The case of Regina versus Jones, heard

on no principle at all. On strict grounds

(Evening Express.)

that he is not expected to live over to-night,

and has been rendered useless for life.

Foreigners themselves with armed mobs,

(Hankow Times.).

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nall boy, was next called months a servant to denow in Cremer's employ. he saw defendant selling s at 20 cents a glass; he defendant ou cante tor did not see any change the captains had liqueur.
This occurred only now as not a daily occurrence. out 13 or 14 people, came d had different kinds of id not see any money pass He sometimes got money drink supplied; 25 cents rged for a drink from one English, and 20 cents a e for those who could not Cross-examined by Mr ven years of age ; received ave from defendant's ema ant; did not go back, an s a bad woman, and used n now in Cremer's employ.

and get \$4 a-month and clothing; used to is believed that Mons. Rouher's declaraget \$5 and no clothing from defendant. tion renders the proposed Conference on Mr Francis here handed in witness's re- Monttett says that France continues its M. Government have finally concluded to without a registration ticket. Cross-ex- cession have been prosecuted,

it was the 6th January. money received, nor did he ever see the Conference Scheme has utterly failed. writing desk. Got \$8 a month as billiard plies-Water was found in abundance.

with clothes. Cremer asked him about of the Russians. defendant's husiness and how it was carried 20th Dec. -Stock (? General Storks) has money, not their own, even with the in-

wished for a defence, he would apply for somewhat peculiar one, viz., that the defendant was simply manager of a club Hongkong Club or Portuguese Club, and that the liquor was supplied only to members or persons introduced by members.

His Worship remarked that he was afraid he would have to convict, if the defence failed to controvert the statements of the Chinese witnesses, even although he succeeded in proving the existence of this Club. Mr Oremer here hinted that second witness had told him that some paid and some did not pay, as it was suitable or safe.

of a Club consumed their own liquor, which was paid by a fund,

believed that a system of sale to strangers | Brigade has arrived at Annesley Bay. existed, independent of the supposed Club arrangement. Members of the Ultib would

not pay ready money. Mr Francis argued, however, that the onus of proof that those who received the lianor were not members of the Club rested upon the prosecution. It was optional for members of a Club in England to pay money down or give an 1. U. U. for the

His Worship said that a chit simply admitted a member's responsibility of having consumed part of his own liquor previously baid for by a fund. He was inclined to think that money paid down for liquor in the Hougkong or Portuguese Clubs would bring those institutions within the meaning of the Spirit License Ordinance. It was not for the hoy to prove that the foreigner was not a member: the onus of proof rested on

Inspector Grimes suggested the question whether the manager of a Club would supowered to charge 20 cents a glass to one member and 25 cents to another.

His Worship admitted the aptness of the suggestion, and said that it might be flattering for Englishmen to pay more; bu Mr Francis, could not show him a rule the Club empowering such difference.

Mr Francis repeated his former opinion and said that it would be useless to obtain an adjournment if the Mazistrate held th onus to lie upon the defence, because to prove a negative was almost impossible. He would leave the case in his Worship's hands,

Bis Worship then observed that he mu regretted that such a case had been brought against the defendant, as there was a ho of his getting a license under the new ar Tangements, Still be would deal merciful with the defendant, as he knew he had wife and family. The case appeared to b proven, and he would fine defendant \$25. Mr Francis then drew the attention of the Bench to Sect. 1 of Ord, 11 of 1844 in which any person convicted of selling liquor without a license is "rendered incapable of holding any license to keep a pubho house for the period of three years from the time of such conviction." Mr Creme had admitted that he had been convicted of and fined in \$100 for, this offence; and followed that he was now wrongfully hold log such license

The Magistrate admitted, after examining the Ordinance, that such appeared to the case; but added that it was equal; clear that he now hold one. Mr . Francis : But he is incapable of

th, Penang 13th, and Singapore 15th inst. A detached body of cavalry belonging to Bha carries 1,112 chests Option and 838 the defeated force made a raid on Sininew, bales Cotton for China and 200 packages on the north bank of the Yangtze opposite Merchandize for Singapore. She was de Chinkling, a few days ago, and carried off

from Suez. received by the China dated London :--tate that the American Congress has sus geived at Chinking represented the rebels bended the authority granted to Mr McCul- to be near Yangchow, where they had had loch the Secretary of the Treasury to con- an engagement with the Imperialists, of tract for the currency. The Times of this doubtful result. The Taotai had ordered that Country strategically inadmissible. It to move.

Defendant has my registration ticket. the Roman question impossible. The at H. B. M. Supreme Court, in which H.

distration ticket, and informed the Court efforts to bring about the proposed Confer- withdraw from further prosecution, is one that, of course, witness was open to a ence. The English Government has issued of so much importance in a public point of charge for absenting himself from his em- a proclamation prohibiting the intended view, that, however painful the subject, ployer's house, and Cremer was little to a Fenian Processions at Killarney and Kil- we feel we should be guilty of a dereliction penalty for having employed a servant kenny. The projectors of the Dublin Pro- of duty if we passed it by without notice. It is fortunately unnecessary for us to dwell amination continued : Had formerly \$1 or 14th Dec. -An attempt has been made to upon the facts of the case. They have been

\$2 a-month from Cremer but then could rescue the Fenians Burke and Casey by detailed at length and speak for themselves. not do so much as now. Got no positive exploding a Barrel of Gunpowder against Carelesaness, to say the least, of a very orders from defendant not to sell liquor, the wall of the Prison at Clerkenwell in gross and extraordinary nature characteriz-Did not remember Chinese moon when this which they were confined. Three persons | ed the manner in which Mr Jones kept the

date; but Mr Cremer did not tell him it 16th Dec .- No Fenian demonstrations having temporarily used public funds for took place yesterday. The Processions his own purposes. This there can be no Wong Ayam (who Cremer called an un- announced to be hold at Leeds, Liverpool | doubt was a culpable act; but it would not willing witness) was next called and cau- and Glasgow were abandoned in conse- be right to presume intent at concealment, He stated that he was discharged quence of the Magisterial Proclamations and to apply the full rigour of a special from defendant's service on 16th instant. prohibiting—and precautionary measures. clause in an Act referring to a class of ac-He had served customers with beer and Three Leaders of the Clerkenwell Prison countants whose books are supposed to be spirits in defendant's house. He never saw Outrage have been arrested. The Roman kept on so rigid a system, that the mere non-entry of an amount is presumed to be fraud, in a case where the books were kept

small boy actually serving any one with 17th Dec.—The Abyssinian Expedition, liquor. There was a book on the bar in The Advance Guard under Colonel Merewewhich customers entered what they had ther arrived at Senale on the 6th instant. of justice, we believe that the portion of drunk - Cross-examined : The bar is a The Natives were friendly and offered aup-

supply customers with liquor. Some of another lealing article against the Expedinow in Cremer's employ, at \$7, a-month is most advantageous for resisting advances against him. The moral of the whole thing

on Does not expect any "cumshaw" from been appointed Chief Comptroller at tention of returning it, run the risk of be-Cremer for giving evidence. Had orders the War Office. Four persons supposed to ing prosecuted and convicted for embezknew and persons who frequented the throughout the country. The Metropolitan little chance of redress, when they find Police Force has been largely increased, their funds have been misappropriated. vessels foundered but the drews were saved.

started by German Captains, similar to the the motion proposed in the Italian Cham- Twenty men altogether were on board the rather than hold it during panic times, but deprecating its illegal attainment and the time of the catastrophe, and three not be snatched from him in a day. Menebrea. He accepted the motion as the poor fellows were in a pitiable state from and depopulated were clearly likely to be order of the day, which, however was re- exposure and want of food; and with tears jected by 201 against 199. 30th Dec. - Tue Liverpool Cotton Mar- Dagmar for rescuing them from a watery

ket closed with a fair demand. 30th Dec. -The Indian Steam Troop It is satisfactory to find that the Chinese Transport Malabar arrived at Sucz on Fri- Government are making some tardy reparaday, the 27th instant. The Steam Troop tion for the old Fung Shui disturbance, His Worship remarked that the members | Transports Crocodile and Euphrates with | which resulted in the destruction of Mr Reytroops on board left Alexandria on the 28th | nold's telegraph from Woosung. | Steamers instant. The Mayors of 50 Towns through- approaching the port are now to be signa-Mr. Francia replied that he was prepared out the country have been instructed to lised from Woosung to the Harbour Masto prove that a meeting of German ship- enrol a number of Special Constables. ter's Hulk and thence to the Custome'

masters had been held, and that the Club Alexandria, Decr. 18th.—The advance Hulk, from which signal guns are to be had formed, everything being in order, after | Brigade of the Abyssinian Field Force has also fired on the arrival of the mail. So far the license was refused to: Mr Rusteberg. reached Senale, and encamped on a fine so good; but after all why not have the A fund had been raised, with part of which plain, where there are wells. From this telegraph, which would be much more acthe liquors had been provided; and while port the passage into Abyssinia is easy, curate and much more rapid? Mr Rusteberg was steward, Mr Hohnholz The people are friendly. The Emperor was butler, both being paid servants of the Theodorus has destroyed Debra Tabor, and encamped in its neighbourhood. It is said The Magistrate observed that the charge | that he intends to proceed to Magdala but in the summons, however, was for distinct | will encounter resistance from the natives, and separate acts of illegal sale; and he who kill all stragglers his camp. The Sind

# THE NORTH.

By the Suwonada we have received Shanghai papers to the 18th. The following summary of news up to that date is from the Supreme Court and Consider

In Shanghai itself during the past week we have almost literally nothing to chroni-The appeal case in the matter. Mackellar & Co.'s Bankruptcy, which should have been heard at the Supreme Court on the 15th instant, was put off by ntention of further proceeding with the prosecution against Mr C. Treasure Jones for deficiencies in the Consular Accounts. but will claim the amount short on his estate in Bankruptcy. The members of the Shanghai Club had a meeting yesterday, when the new set of rules for the management of the institution were passed without opposition, but the name of "Sub-Committee" which seems likely to mislead as to the responsibility of the Committee as whole, for the acts of that portion of their number, was, at the suggestion of Major Crossman, withdrawn, and the words "General Committee" substituted. Chairman had great pleasure in noticip the satisfactory manner in which the Cl has been working since it has been placed upon a new footing; but pointed out that it would be probably necessary to increase the tariff to some extent, the contractors Messra Giraud, Favre & Co., complainin that they were losing \$200 per month at present. Arrangements were made for the elections of the new Committees by posting the names in the Club, and leaving the ballot boxes there for a few days. other business was brought forward.

(N. C. Daily News.) A Chefoo correspondent writes respecting the Nienfei, under date the 7th Jany. ;-"The news of the rebels is that nearly all that were on foot have either been killed or have shaved their heads and become honest folks again. About 30,000 ha perished by cold, hunger, and at the hand of the country people, whom they had exasperated by their cruelties. About 10.00 horsemen survive and they are to the sout of Chin-zu-foo. - A. Mongol General has lately arrived in Shantung from Peking. take command of the Imperial troops, and he seems to be quite up to his work from all reports, and it is expected he will soon clear the province of rebels. The rebe have committed great atrocities, cutting off the peasants' hands and ears, and nailing them through the eyes. This has been a chief cause of their enmity to the rebels, The P. & O. steamer China. Captain and so far it has produced a favorable reso Steward, with the Home mail of 10th Dec. | tion towards the government." He adds arrived here this afternoon. She brings that the prospects of trade during the our dates from Bombay 30th December, Galle rent year, are proportionately brighter.

of allver at night, and advises that it should tained at Galle three days for the Mangolia a great deal of loot. If so, Li's victory cannot have been a great advantage, as The following are the latest Telegrams would appear simply to have driven his 13th Dec. -- Latest advices from New York have found ample loot. The last news rein opposing intervention regarding Afighat cross ; but the crews are all in a state of

REBELLIONS IN CHINA.

known, namely that during the Rebellion a very large number of people lost their resulted from this terrible visitation cannot only the deaths which were caused directly. liquor was sold, but remembered English were killed and thirty-nine wounded. | accounts, and he cannot be acquitted of but those also which were brought about by by Europeans. poverty and disease. It is stated that taking these two last elements into consideration, the mortality consequent upon the Taiping Rebellion in the Kiangan province alone, is estimated by good anthorities at not less than fifteen to twenty millions, out of a population of seventy millions, or something over one-fifth of the entire

about as much, if not more, by the after effects of the war as by the deaths resulting the Jury who were not satisfied of intent from combat, or rather the slaughter on the were warranted in their conclusion; though. marker, but was sometimes called away to 18th Dec.—The "Times" has published in saying this we must not be supposed to their ravages was naturally poverty and look upon Mr Jones as a martyr to perdisease, and death soon followed in its the foreigners boarded in the house. Am tion to Affghanistan, the Frontier of which secution, because this case was instituted track. These causes together have worked is plain. Those who make use of the must take years to repair. Probably twen-Kiangsu to the state of prosperity which it enjoyed before the outbreak of the Rebelfrom defendant not to supply liquor to be Fenian Lea lers have arrived in Loudon. zlement; but on the other hard, offices lion; and the present miserable position of previous rates. In Woollens the demand nothing whatever. The English and Amestrangers, but only to captains whom he | 23rd Dec. - Femian Alarms are rife whose accounts are defectively kept have trade both native and foreign forms the has been chiefly for Camlets and Figured rican Consuls managed to secure quarters answer to those who at the time the rebel. Orleans. lion was raging, fondly imagined or at least Mr Francis, for the defence, submitted Colonel Thesiger has been appointed Adju- The Russian Ship Dagmar just arrived argued that the insurrection was favourable that he presumed his Worship would look tant General of the Abyssinian Expedition. from Liverpool was hailed near the Saddle to foreign commerce, and that in conseupon the case as having failed, the evidence Telegraphic Intelligence has just been Islands on the 12th inst. by a number of quence of it, we were able to buy produce of the two Chinese servants being so con- received to the effect that the Italian men on what appeared in the distance to be at cheaper rates. A little thought is suffitradictory. If, however, the Magistrate Ministry has resigned. A collision has a portion of a wreck. On approaching, it cient to make it evident that such an idea occurred in the Channel between the proved to be a raft, on which ten unfor- is entirely erroneous. For a time the an adjournment, as the defence was a Startled Fawn, and Rushing Water. - Both tunate Chinamen had been drifting about foreign trader might reap an advantage in some days. They stated they belonged to consequence of the unfortunate native being Dec. 23rd, - After a fortnight's debate, a Shanghai Junk and had been wrecked. glad to part with his property at any price bers affirming Rome as the capital of Italy, | junk, of whom eight were drowned at | when he was uncertain whather it might approving the conduct of the ministry of had since snuk from exhaustion. The results of the country becoming devastated what we now find them, a terrible falling in their eyes, thanked the Captain of the off in its trading capabilities. Large numbers who were peaceably and industriously contributing to its productive resources have, since they were hounded out of their homes with the fire and sword of the Taiping, been unable to return to the scenes of their labour. They fled with what they could scrape together to the foreign settle ments at Shanghai; there, in high rentals and expensive food they soon spent the little capital they had been able to save. and ere long, if fortunate, had to content themselves with such employment as they could get at the place to which they had fled for refuge; or if unfortunate, perished disease or starvation, while their homesteads still remained a mass of ruins, and the only The villagers in the neighbourhood of sounds heard over the site of their once Trefancha Farm, ou the Soochow Creek, flourishing farms, was the chirp of the seems determined to get themselves into

pheasant and the cackle of the water fowl serious trouble. It was only yesterday that To within a year of the present time yast they complied with the order of the Mixed tracts of land not fifty miles from this set-Court by paying up the value of the Racing | tlement were to be seen completely desolate. pony, belonging to Mr Bidwell, which they | Of late some little improvement has become had maliciously maimed, and it will be observable. Gradually cultivation is reremembered we pointed out the absurdity turning here and there, but that cultivation of such a trivial punishment on that occasion. is the work of other hands than those who As if to show their contempt of the Mixed owned the farms of yore—the result of the Court and its Ordinances, these same slow daily toil of peasants to whom the land culprits, as it is surmised, last night had has been almost given, and who can barely the temerity to break into Mr Bidwell's aubsist where others in former days lived in Stables and perpetrated cruelties on the

unfortunate animals there, which gave to In other parts the land to this day rethe place the appearance of a slaughter mains a desert. Around Nankin there are house, this morning. Deserter, a favourite tracts whose fertility is well-known, but pony, which had been pensioned for life by which remain uncultivated notwithstanding his owner, was killed by ripping open and every inducement held out by the local stabled with spear wounds all over; in officials to such as may be willing to return mutual consent to the 25th January. Her fact, his entrails fell out of his carcase, so to them. The cause of this is general fearfully was the poor brute cut about. stated by well informed natives to be sim-Another white puny was so badly slashed ple poverty. So much was lost by the rebellion that those who formerly cultivated and Javelin, (an Australian thorough-bred the ground are unable to provide themcolt) had his near fore leg almost amputated, selves again with houses and agricultural instruments, and thus some of the most Such a brutal attack as this should meet fertile land is completely lost to the country.

with prompt and severe retribution, and this is, we would submit, a case in which a This state of things is not much to be visit of a party from H. M. S. Pearl; a wondered at when the insecurity still exist audden seizure of the Ringleaders and ing is taken into consideration. But a few immediate application of a cat o' nine tails days since, the Nienfei came to within to their backs, would have a far more seventeen miles of Chinking, causing the deterring effect than all the actions of usual panic; the hurrying away of the "Mixed" or Taoutae's Courts, accompanied, villagers, the rush juto the foreign settleas on the last occasion, with a small ment. News has since come to hand that pecuniary mulct. If this grave offence is the hordes have again retired, and sllowed to pass without adequate punishlarger majority of foreigners look little ment, farewell to all security of life and further into the matter. The port is property in outlying villa residences, for, safe, no Europeans are molested, and in emboldened by success, the villagers will, what does the matter concern us?" is the general idea entertained. Still there can ere long, gain courage enough to attack the be no doubt how seriously all facilities for Mr Winchester, H. McConsul, is, we trade must be diminished by this wretched are informed, taking active measures to find state of affairs; nor can it be wondered at 1 are still meagre. out the perpetrators of the outrage, and that China, while in a chronic state of every day of delay which is allowed to inscourity, does not presper. What we see intervene between the present time and the at Chinkiang, Hankow, and Kewkiang is

is justly their due, is so much loss to the vals in all parts of the country. No one can contemplate this state of The general commanding the Yang- affairs without a feeling of regret that a chiam-tel, or Franco-Chinese Contingent, people who are emineutly industrious and has duly warned the inhabitants of this side hard working should have the misfortune ances, or imposing upon the people of Hankow, who are to bind and bring over to him may be conceived to be attended with some difficulty, judging from the stalwart appearance of some of these "irregulars." It is reported that Kwan-wen, the late Viceroy of Hoo-kwang, has been appointed to the same office in Pechili, the Metropolitan province. The late Governor-general of of Pechili has been degraded, from the disordered and disaffected condition of this important province. The walls of the native town have been for some time govered being ever established by the Imperial peaceful continuance.

properly used for this purpose. was admitted to bail in the sum of \$20,000. difficult to overcome.

(Supreme Court & Consular Gazette, Jan. 18.) duty to interfere in the internal affairs of among a large class of residents here, where The extent of the mortality caused by the | China, they cannot but be sensible of the | it would be thought the community gener-Taiping Robellion has been a favourite sub- drawback which the disturbed state of the ally would see in the opening of the new ject of discussion in China, but the estimates | Empire is to the progress of their commer- | ports a matter which deeply and intimately which have been made have nucessarily cial interests, as well as to the happiness of concerned their interests, among the large varied very considerably in amount, and the Chinese people. It is the habit to mercantile houses. Such, however, is not the upshot of most of the calculations has represent Foreign and Chinese interests as the case; a circumstance, which is probably been little more than what has been long entirely antagonistic, but there is an in- to be accounted for by the disappointment portant point at which they are identical. which attended the opening of branch Both require for their furtherance, peace, houses in new ports in China. The tendlives. An idea, however, of the evil which order, and good government in China; and ency of commercial affairs in these parts whatever measures tend to this end are has, during the last three years been steadibe formed without taking into account not likely to be hailed with pleasure by the ly towards centralization of business and large bulk of the Chinese nation as well as | capital, and people are indisposed to launch

COMMERCIAL

Shanghai, Friday Evening, Jan. 17. IMPORTS. -Business has been on an extensive scale, some 100,000 pieces of Grey | referring to "Kobe," which is the name week, at prices ranging from Tls. 2.15 to ground on the right of the city of Hiogo. 2.30 for 81 lbs. The market, however, appropriated for Foreigners, and it will This terrible result has been brought closes quiet, and the best chops are not eventually become a pretty place. Osaka saleable over Tls. 2.25. White Shirtings was opened by the Shenandoah and Rattler. have been in fair demand at Tls. 2.35 to but all foreigners will reside here. Com-Tis. 2.40 for 64 Reed; and at Tis. 2.45 to merce will of course be attracted here, bepart of the insurgents. The first result of 2.50 for 66 Reed, a good enquiry has ex- cause of the difficult approaches to Osaka. isted for T-Cloths, 7 lbs. commanding Tls. | as the vessels are compelled to anchor four 1.75 to 2.00. English Drills are wanted at | miles off that port. It is believed that Hi-Tls. 3.80 to 4.00. White Spots enquired | ogo will effect very seriously the trade and such evil in this one province alone as it for at Tls. 2.35 to 2.40, and White Brocades prosperity of Yokohama. The Europeans at Tls. 2.40 to 2.45; Dyed Spots at Tls. | coming here are sadly disappointed, as they ty years will scarcely bring the province of 2.40, and Dyed Brocades at Tls. 2.70 to expected to find houses and accommoda-2.80. Small sales of Velvets, Scarlet and tions for all. The Japanese were to build Gentian Shirtings have taken place at about several large houses, but they have done

TEA. -Black. Little has been passing in their countrymen. Many had to remain this market since our last issue, owing to on board ship (one vessel was keeping boarthe very full prices demanded by holders ders at \$5 per diem). Some of the large for the not very desirable Stock remaining. houses from Yokohama brought down every-A Stock consisting for the most part of thing for starting an extensive business. parcels of Tea not before selected by buyers | Tosa and Chosin are reported to have an on account of their inherent deficiency in army of seventy thousand men in Osaka. those points which recommend them to They intend to fight the ex Tycoon, favorable notice. Beyond saying that they more run that the Mikado has been made are free from objectionable flavour, nothing can be said. The purchases of the past | The Grand National Council of Dainios week amount to 1,000 chests, at rates rang- have refused to meet while Foreigners keep ing from Tls. 18 to 201. Prices are fully up such an extensive fleet in Osaka Bay. up to, if not beyond, those ruling a fort. They say they are willing to grant every-

transacted during the past week. Ameri- by the presence of so many men-of-war. cans continued operating in the same steady | Admiral Keppel is therefore reported to manner that they have not deviated from | have decided on gradually withdrawing his since the opening of the market, at prices fleet to see if the Japanese are acting in quite up to, but not over those previously good faith or not. The Basilisk had deruling. Another element was required to parted for Hongkong and the Rodney with force prices up to a lofty level to the dis- several others was on the point of returning advantage of the buyer and the glee of the to Yokohama. native seller, and this presented itself in The subjoined is from a lettter to the the shape of buyers for the English market, Friend of China, by a correspondent on who have operated in a manner not froquently seen. It is cheering to those al- | 26, "off Kobe:"-We left Yokohama with ready interested to know that there are not our wouted punctuality in H.M.S. Advenwanting people who, in the face of the hur- ture on Saturday the 21st just; at 10 A.M. ried Export to Great Britain, are several and steered south to join the Fleet. Wo taels per picul more sanguine than them | had on board H. E. Sir Harry Parkes and

40 feet to New York.

sort Drug, but the holders were firm and | we arrived about noon, after a capital run not much inclined to sell, but in that itter- of an hour and a quarter, distance 15 miles. val the Nauzing brought news of very low | Here we found an imposing fleet riding at rates from Tientsin, owing to which buyers | anchor. We have had two funerals since not opened yet, but we think the highest | the surgeon of which died of consumption. will be Tls. 520 to 525.

rates ruling in Hongleing, affected this of the Rodney, Admiral Keppel's flag ship market, and once the rate was quoted at who died suddenly from disease of the Tls. 490. To-day it is quoted at Tis. 485, heart and was buried yesterday. This

evening we lost one of our own quarter-Exchange :- Rates opened for the mails | masters after rather a sudden illness. It is of the 25th instant for Bank Sterling, 6 | melancholy to see the ensigns so often m/s. 5s. 11d., at which a fair amount has half-mast, but fortunately the Fleet is in been sold, 6 m/s. oredit and Dooumentary excellent health and the station could not Bills 5s. 11 d. to 6/2 On Hongkong 27 to possibly I should think be a more healthy 274, with little demand.

THE NEW JAPANESE PORTS. The papers brought by the Sugonada give some additional items respecting the

opening of Hiogo and Osaka, but the details The Jupan Times contains the following paragraph regarding the present aspect of affairs :- "Our letters from Osaka are hour they meet with the punishment which but the counterpart of what is going on in by no means a satisfactory tenor. the North at the present time, and at inter- writers, on whose knowledge of the political situation we can confidently rely, unite expressing a doubt respecting the actual opening of the ports to commerce. They may be declared open as a matter of form by the Ministers, and foreign Consuls and of the river to take severe measures against to be under a government who are unable merchants may take up their temporary any of his troops found creating disturb- to afford them protection; and it is not abode there. But it is not certain that surprising that the idea of interfering and trade will be allowed and one of our cor establishing order should at times possess respondents goes so far as to state that it is all such offenders. The latter operations the minds of European nations. Under a useless for the foreign traders to go down. good form of government China neight Shimadz Saburo has been hurriedly called become one of the richest and one of the away to Kagosima, and left the capital in most influential nations in the world; but | great haste. Tosa has also gone, no one nothing abort of an entire change of system | knows whither, and the aspect of affairs is will be sufficient to do away with the weak | by no means promising. The real reason and insecure state of affairs that we at for attempting to delay this event is that present see. The hopes of some are that | the Daimios will not attend the conference the present Chinese Government may be so to which they have been summoned, under improved that they will themselves be able | the guns of a foreign fleet. And, until they to cope with their present difficulties. In have assembled, until the questions which common with all who are undesirous to see | now agitate Japan are settled-the forma- health, is no better in mind. In order to with both customary and unusual proclam. the disturbance of legitimate authority, we tion of a new system of Government and prepare her for the news of her husband's ations from the Prefect, Colonel-command- heartily wish that such hopes may be the adjustment of the balance of power death, she was told that Juarez had entered

always be carried in the covered barrels Government. If undisturbed by external The state of political affairs has, since the idea of making peace with the Repubcauses, they may continue for a series of the above appeared, come to a crisis; the lican leader on those terms. years to keep the country intact under a Tycoon and Mikado having been tak ir The official liquidators of Overend, Gur-THE MURDER OF AN ENGLISH CONSUL .- system of government such as at present prisoners and confined by the Daimios. new & Co. (Limited) have arranged for the We published a few months ago an account exists but it is beyond hope that they will This news was brought on tirst to Shanghai payment forthwith of a further dividend of of the murder of Westmoreland, the Eng. be able to do more, or that it will be in by the Costa Rica, but it is confirmed by is. in the pound, which will raise the total lish Consul at Brunswick, Ga. His unsuc- their power to effect such sweeping reforms the Feeloong from Nagasaki which arrived thus far to 13s. It appears that, instead of cessful rival (Martlu) shot him down almost as are necessary to do away with the pre- on Thursday. It is noticeable (remarks waiting until they could realise a larger instantly upon the conclusion of the mar- sent corruption. They may put down the Gazette) that comparatively little in- sum, they have thought it better, in the Morning has published an article demon- the salt junks lying on the North shore to ringe or employment for money, to distrating the wisdom of the Viceroy of India remove, lest the rebels should attempt to lately before the superior court of the long are that portion of the country has in this place in the opening of the new tribute as soon as possible the receipts district tott it being found impossible to recovered from its effects another disturb- ports in Japan. Probably as much feeling in hand. Each la distributed cancels hitan and considered the occupation of mutiny for arrears of wages, and deeline get a jury the dourt adjourned, and Martin ance breaks out which they find it equally will be shown in the matter by residents in £200,000 of debt, and checks upon that

While foreign nations do not feel it their | those in America, than has been manifested out into new enterprises in view of the untoward results which have hitherto attended that course. This no doubt accounts for the apathy that has been shown in some

directions with respect to Japan.

The News Letter has the following letter Shirtings having changed hands during the given by the Japanese to the plot of in tea houses for themselves and some of prisoner by three of the princes.

thing in reason, but naturally object to Green. A considerable business has been being overawed and coerced into measures

board H.M.S. Adventure, under date Dec. Suite and Lieuts: Bradshaw and Bruce Shipping remains without much altera- with a detachment of the 2/IX. We artion, and vessels are not obtaining very rapid | rived without accident off Osaka on the despatch. Rates remain unaltered, viz., 23rd inst. Sir Harry Parkes landed as £3 sterling to Loudon, and £3 per ton of soon as we arrived at the anchorage, and proceeded up the river to Osaka, where he Silk .- In our last issue, we anticipated | found everything in an active state of prethat the Silk market would open higher, paration for the opening of that port to and our expectations have been more than | foreigners on the 1st January. During the realized, as quite a number of large buyers | disembarkment, the wind was fortunately have entered the market, and the settle- blowing off shore, so that there was but a ments already amount to about 1,000 bales. | moderate movement of the sea in the bay, and each successive sale establishes a fresh | We were at anchor in 41 fathoms at a disadvance; thus we now quote; Chop No. | tance of 2 miles from the bar and 21 off the 3, Tls. 540; Red Peacock, Tls. 460; No. 1 | shore; at high water the bar is covered by Kahing, Tls. 480. Present prices show an 7 feet and at low tide it is nearly dry. The advance of Tis. 60 to 100 on the lowest city of Osaka is about three miles from point of the season. The Stock is 700 to 800 | the mouth of the river and is only accessible by means of flat bottomed boats. On OPIUM. - Malua. Since our last report. | Wednesday the 25th, Christmas day, leavprices ruled to Tls. 518 to 20, but as the ling Messrs. Lowder and Wills at Osaka, Mail Sceamer Ganges brought a limited we weighed anchor, and with Sir Harry sulp'y and in first hands, we anticipated a Parkes and the remainder of the suite, rise; the Chinese offered Tis. 530 for let made steam across the bay for Hiogo, where were reluctant to operate, and the market is | we have been here, one from the Hartford and was buried on Christmas day; the Patna. Since our last advices of higher | second was poor Turner, first Lieutenaut

> Yesterday I paid a visit to the site where the new settlement, Kobe, is to spring up. The site is at present merely marked out for the streets, but we are informed that in the course of the next few days, the differeut lots will also be marked out. stone wall and the Bund have nearly reached completion and in a few days, some houses which are in the course of prection for the temporary accommodation of foreigners will also be ready. I must not omit informing those who think of migrating hither, that provisions are awfully dear. I heard 5 boos asked yesterday for a fowl, and 6 boos for a few bunches of turnips. It would be advisable therefore, to bring down a fair supply of stores, and at the same time to bear in mind, that life here for the next two months, will be of a rough compaigning description, decidedly more povel than comfortable. The village of Kobe is rather straggling and contains but one tolerably wide street, which leads to the town of Hiogo, about half a mile distant ! there are no shops of large dimensions, nor is there any appearance of their containing any things much beyond the necessaries of life (Japanese understood.)

THE EMPREESS CHARLOTTE. The Empress Charlotte, though well in bodily nant, and the Tautai. Wandering folks, realised. But facts, notorious to all who between Mikado, Shogoon and Dainios- the Mexican capital. Her reply was, and disbanded braves are warned away from have any acquintance with Chinese affairs, we cannot hope to see trade commenced in Then Maximilian will make him Pre-Hankow. The Profect forbids the carrying militate greatly against the change of order Osaka or Hiogo, with any confidence in its side of the Council." It is now supposed that Maximilian did at one time entertain

London, more certainly will be shown by amount the accumulation of interest.

MAILS WILL CLOSE :-For SHANGHAL -Per "ERL KING," To-morrow, the 23d instant, at 3 P.M.

For S'PORE, P'NANG & C'CUTTA.-Per "REIVER," on Thursday, the 23rd instant, at 2 r.m., instead of at the time previously notified.

For NAGASAKI. — Per "VULCAN," on Saturday, the 25th instant, at 4 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "BENARES." The Contract Packet "BENARES," will be pispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 1st February, and the Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Letters for Registration, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M.

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Postmaster General. General Post-Office. Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

# Intimations.

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The Colonial Secretary. The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq., GEO. HEARD, Esq., The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-

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2nd \$40. W. PATERSON.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. NOTICE.

THE OFFICES of Messis Augustine HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Premises adjoining Hongkoug, December 28, 1867.

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NOTICE. HE Office of the Undersigned is removed to the Premises formerly occupied by Messra Smith Kennedy & Co., Queen's EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

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OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION. BRITISH CONSULATE.

CANTON, June 6th, 1867. HE Undersigned hereby gives notice that in consequence of the decease of MR. E. L. Langa, lately British Consular Agent at Macao, the functions of the British Consular Agency at that Port will be temporarily discharged by Mr. Pio Marof Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at of State for Foreign Affairs.

The Office of the British Consular Agency is for the present established at No. 23 Rua da Feitoria at Macao.

D. B. ROBERTSON. Hougkong, June 8, 1867.

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Chairman of the Committee. Hongkong, July 4, 1867. MESSRS GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

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Hongkong, November 26, 1867. 20fe

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Surreyor General. Surveyor General's Office,

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